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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Yasunobu FUJITA et al.

Appln. No.: 09/199,447

Group Art Unit: 1764

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Examiner: J. Johnson

For: ROLLER BEARING

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to the commencement of continued prosecution,
please amend the above-identified patent application as
indicated below.

IN THE CLAIMS:

- B1
1. (Twice Amended) A fretting resisting spindle
 - 2 support roller bearing of a low-torque spindle drive,
 - 3 comprising a plurality of rolling elements held between